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WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FEDERATION (WIDF)

A Compilation of Available Basic
Reference Data -- Affiliates and Parallel
Organizations, Strength, Officers, Addresses,
Publications.

Based on Data Available
as of 1 October 1956

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WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FEDERATION (WIDF)

A. Headquarters Address:

13, Unter den Linden
Berlin W 8, East Germany

B. Regional Offices:

None

C. Total Claimed Membership Strength:

Affiliates in 76 countries and "links with women leaders and organizations in 13 other countries." (April 1956)

"More than 200 million women in 80 countries...participated together with the WIDF, either as members, or in cooperation with and support of the activities of the organization." (April 1956)

D. Official Publications:

Women of the Whole World, official monthly since 1946

News in Brief, published periodically by the Secretariat

Special Information Bulletin, published periodically since 1955

Information Bulletin, published irregularly

Documents and Current Events, published irregularly by the Secretariat

Radio-Press Bulletin, published by the Secretariat on an ad hoc basis

Miscellaneous WIDF propaganda literature, ranging from publication of regularly issued special periodicals publicizing upcoming events or post-event activity to leaflets and reports of the events themselves.

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D. Official Publications: (Continued)

Special brochures on special topics; such as:

I Want To Live - Ban Atomic Weapons, a pamphlet

Children in Franco Spain, a pamphlet

For Their Rights As Mothers, Workers, Citizens, a pamphlet

That They May Live - African Women Arise, a pamphlet

The Women of Viet-Nam Speak To Us, a folder

Happy Children in New China, illustrated folder

Children Come First, illustrated folder about children in the USSR

The Appeal of the Japanese Women to Ban the Atom Bomb, issued in 23 languages

We Accuse, Report of the WIDF Investigative Commission to Korea, issued in 23 languages.

E. Executive Officers of the WIDF.*

Executive Committee (1955-)

President:	Eugenie COTTON (France)
Vice Presidents:	Prof. Erzebeth ANDICS (Hungary) Dr. Andrea ANDREEN (Sweden) Pushpamoyee BOSE (India) Monica FELTON (Great Britain) Branca FIALHO (Brazil) Raicho HIRATSUKA (Japan) Dolores IBARRURI ("Republican" Spain) Ransome KUTI (Nigeria) Ceza NABARAWI (Egypt) Nina POPOVA (USSR) TS'AI Ch'ang (China) **Maria-Maddalena ROSSI (Italy) Marie-Claude VAILLANT-COUTURIER (France) Lilly WACHTER (Germany)
Secretary General:	Angiola MINELLA (Italy)
Assistant Secretaries General:	Simone BERTRAND (France) Zoya IVANOVA (USSR)

* See pages 34-39 for a complete list of the WIDF Council and Control Commission elected by the last WIDF Congress (June 1953).

** In April 1956 Maria-Maddalena ROSSI replaced Rita MONTANANA of Italy as Vice President.

E. Executive Officers of the WIDF: (Continued)

Secretaries: YANG Yun-yu (China)
GREAT BRITAIN (two undesignated
representatives)
U. S. A. (an undesignated representative)
Odette ROUX (France)

Other Executive Committee Members:

TENG Ying-ch'ao (China)
Margarita de PONCE (Argentina)
Francoise LECLERC (France)

Officers of the Permanent International Committee of Mothers
(1956-1957)

President: Dr. Andrea ANDREEN (Sweden)

Secretary: Mrs. Dora Russell GRACE (Great Britain)

F. Regional Officers:

None

G. National Affiliates of the WIDF, or Parallel Organizations:

Affiliates*

Parallel Organizations**

1. ALBANIA

- a. Union of Albanian Women aka
Albanian Women's Union (or League)
(Bashkimi i Grave te Shqipërisë)

* In view of the fact that the WIDF has not published a complete list of its affiliates for many years and has also failed to identify by name the organizations that have been admitted to membership each year, the above list may contain some inadvertent omissions or inaccuracies.

**** Parallel organizations are those which generally support the objectives and activities of the WIDF but which are not definitely known to be formally affiliated with such organization.**

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Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

1. ALBANIA (Continued)

Claimed strength: Over 246,000
(June 1955)

President: Vita KAPO (1955)

Publication: Woman of the New Albania

2. ALGERIA

- a. Union of Algerian Women
(Union des Femmes d'Algerie)

3. ARGENTINA

- a. Union of Argentine Women
(Union de Mujeres Argentinas, UMA)
Publication: Our Women (Nuestras Mujeres)
Chairman: Margarita de PONCE
General Secretary: Fanny EDELMAN
Vice President: Irma OTHAR
Director, Nuestras Mujeres: Matilde ALEMAN
Note: Nuestras Mujeres, which had circulated clandestinely prior to the downfall of the Peron regime, claimed an increase in its circulation from 12,000 to 25,000 in December '55, after the change in government had permitted its free circulation. However, in March 1956, the UMA complained that "under police pressure, the shop where the magazine was printed refuses to handle the job and so do all other printshops in the capital and elsewhere." UMA claims it is still being published despite "extremely difficult conditions." (May 1956)
- a. Women's Commission of the Movement for the Democratization and Independence of the Trade Unions
Secretary: Irma OTHAR (1956)
- b. Women's Cultural Group
(Agrupacion Cultural Femina)
- c. Council of Childhood of Argentina
(Consejo de la Infancia Argentina)
- d. Federation of Communist Women
(Federacion de Mujeres Comunistas)
- e. Jewish Section, League of the Rights of Man
- f. Junta of Victory

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3. ARGENTINA (Continued)

- g. Union of Spanish Women in Argentina
(Union de Mujeres Espanolas en la Argentina)
- h. Associations for the Rights of Children
(Asociaciones por los Derechos del Nino)
- i. Mothers' Committees

4. AUSTRALIA

- a. Union of Australian Women
Acting Secretary:
Enid HAMPSON (1956)
- a. Union of Cafe, Hotel and Restaurant Workers of New South Wales
- b. Women's Committee of the Waterside Workers Federation

5. AUSTRIA

- a. Democratic Union of Austrian Women
(Demokratischer Frauen Bund Oesterreichs)
Secretary: Irma SCHWAGER (1955)
Publication: Women's Voice (Stimme der Frau)
- a. Austrian Society for the Defense of Children
Note: Formed in Autumn 1951 (April 1952)

6. BELGIUM

- a. Union of Belgian Women
(Union des Femmes Belges)
Publication:
Women In Life (1946)
(Femmes dans la Vie)
- a. Assembly of Women
(Rassemblement des Femmes) aka Women's Assembly for Peace and Progress
President: Mrs. Francine LYNA (1956)
Vice Presidents:
Jacqueline VALKENIERS (aka VALKENEERS, VALKERNES)
Mme. BURGOS
Secretaries: Jeanne MULLIER
O. BERGHMANS
Marie GUISSSE

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7. BOLIVIA

- a. Association for the Rights of Women
(Asociacion Pro Derechos de la Mujer)
- b. Democratic Circle of Bolivian Women
(Circulo Democratico de Mujeres Bolivianas)

8. BRAZIL

- a. Women's Federation of Brazil
(Federaçao de Mulheres do Brasil, FMB)
President: Branca de Almeida FIALHO (1956)
General Secretary: *Góto*
Rodrigues Arcelina MOCHEL (1955) *Ribeiro*
Secretary: Iraci BARBOSA Almeida (1956)
Publication: Momento Feminino
(Women's Movement), a monthly
Directress: Arcelina MOCHEL *Góto*
Editor-in-Chief: Ethel DE SOUZA
Address, Editorial and Administrative Office:
Av. Nilo Peçanha no. 12, s/426
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Claimed strength: Branca Fialho, the FMB President, told the WIDF Council Meeting in April 1956 that the FMB had organized "70 new women's groups in Brazil" in the period

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8. BRAZIL (Continued)

since July 1955. It has affiliates in the various States, such as:

- (1) Federation of Women of Pernambuco
(Federaçao de Mulheres de Pernambuco, FMP)
- (2) Women's Federation of the State of Sao Paulo
- (3) Women's Federation of the State of Rio Grande do Sul

- a. Association of Democratic Women of Pernambuco
(Associaçao de Mulheres Democraticas de Pernambuco, AMDP)
- b. Women's Unions
(Uniaos Femininas) aka Democratic Women's Unions
Note: Set up in various locales in Brazil.
- c. Women's Department of the Brazilian Association for the Defense of the Rights of Man
- d. Brazilian Committee for a Latin American Women's Conference
Note: In addition to the above, there are also many "parallel" "Women's Leagues" and "Housewives' Unions" in the various cities and States of Brazil.⁷

9. BULGARIA

- a. Committee of Bulgarian Democratic Women
(Komitet na Demokratichnite Bulgarski Zheni) aka
Committee of Bulgarian Women
Chairman: Tsola DRAGOICHEVA
Secretary: Tzevetana KIRANOVA

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9. BULGARIA (Continued)

Publication: Today's Woman
(Zhenata Dness)

Editor: R. TODOROVA

Note: This Committee succeeded
the Popular Union of Bulgarian
Woman in 1950,

May be identical with
Bulgarian Women's Alliance
Claimed strength: 170,000 (1947)

May be identical with
National League of Bulgarian Women
Claimed strength: 250,000 (1946)

10. BURMA

a. Burma Women's Freedom League aka
All-Burma Women's Freedom League

b. All-Burma Women's Congress
Note: Went underground in 1948;
may no longer exist.

a. All-Burma Women's Union
Note: Underground organization;
believed to be operating
clandestinely.

b. Chinese Women's Association
May be identical with

c. Burma Overseas Chinese Women's
Association

11. CAMEROONS

a. Democratic Union of Cameroon Women
(Union Democratique des Femmes
Camerounaises)
Note: Outlawed in August 1955

a. Committee in Defence of
Children
Claimed strength: Active
in Doualla, in the interior
and in Maritime Sanaga
region (April 1952)
Secretary: Emma Gisele
NGOM (April 1952)

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12. CANADA

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| a. Congress of Canadian Women
Publication: <u>Women's Voice</u> ,
a monthly, published in
Toronto
Secretary:
Mrs. Margaret FERGUSON
Executive Officers:
Mrs. Hazel WIGDOR
Mrs. Nora RODD
President Mrs. Rae LUCKOCK
Note: Has branches in
various cities of Canada. | a. Canadian Committee of Mothers
b. Committee for the Rights of Canadian
Children aka
National Children's Committee
c. Women's Committee for Peace
Action
d. Canadian Congress for Peace
e. Sons and Daughters of Canadian
Lithuanian Mutual Benefit Society
Publication: <u>Liaudies Balsas</u>
f. Association of Canadian Housewives |
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13. CHILE

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| a. National Committee for
Feminine Unity
(Comite Nacional Feminino
de Unidad, CNFU) aka
Women's Unity Committee
of Chile
Leader: Julieta CAMPUZANO | a. Union of Spanish Women of Chile
(Union de Mujeres Espanolas
de Chile)
b. Movement for the Emancipation
of Chilean Women
(Movimiento Pro-Emancipacion
de la Mujer de Chile)
c. Federation for the Protection of
Childhood
(Federacion pro Defensa de la
Ninez)
d. Chilean Committee for Latin
American Women's Conference
President: Lia LAFFAYE (1956)
e. Chilean Women's Union |
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14. CHINA (COMMUNIST)

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| <p>a. All-China Democratic Women's Federation (Chung-hua Ch'uan-Kuo Min-Chu Fu-Nu Lien-Ho-Hui) Claimed strength: Has affiliated branches in cities throughout China Address: 25 Shih Chia Hutung Peking, China Publications: <u>Women of China</u>, an English quarterly <u>Women Workers of the New China</u>, an illustrated publication President: TS'AI Ch'ang (April 1956) Honorary President: HO Hsiang-ning Vice Presidents: TENG Ying-chiao HSU Kuang-ping LI Te-ch'ian SHIH Liang</p> | <p>a. Shanghai Housewives' Federation Claimed strength: Over one million (1951)</p> <p>b. National Committee of the YWCA of China General Secretary: TENG Yu-chih (1956)</p> <p>c. Women's Temperance Union of China President: LIU Wang-li ming</p> <p>d. National Committee for the Defense of Children General Secretary: KANG Ke-ching (1956) Deputy General Secretary: CHANG Shu-yi</p> <p>e. Chinese Women's Association President: LI Te-ch'ian</p> |
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possibly identical with

National Federation of Chinese Women
Secretary General:
CHANG Ch'in-ch-in (1955)
Director, Children's Department:
KANG K'o-ch'ing (1952)

15. COLOMBIA

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| <p>a. Union of Colombian Women (Union Colombiana de Mujeres)</p> | <p>a. Federation of Women Peasants Claimed strength: 600 in 30 committees (March 1953)</p> <p>b. Colombia Women's Alliance aka Democratic Association of Colombian Women Publication: <u>Our Women</u> (<u>Nuestras Mujeres</u>) Editor: Maria OSORIO (1956)</p> |
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- c. Committee on Children
d. Association Antonia Santos

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16. COSTA RICA

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| a. Alliance of Costa Rican Women
(Alianza de Mujeres Costarricense)
Claimed strength: 500 (1956)
General Secretary:
Luisa GONZALES
Executive Committee Member:
Adela Ferreto Segura DE SAENZ
Publications:
<u>Our Voice (Nuestra Voz)</u>
<u>Women's World (Mundo Femenino)</u> | a. Children's Committee
(Comite de la Infancia) |
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17. CUBA

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| a. Democratic Federation of Cuban Women
(Federacion Democratica de Mujeres Cubanas, FDMC)
possibly identical with National Committee of Cuban Women | a. Committee of Mothers for Peace
Claimed strength: Over 334 set up by June 1953 to oppose sending troops to Korea (June 1953)

b. Woman's Permanent Council for the Security and Happiness of the Home
(Consejo Permanente de la Mujer por la Seguridad y la Felicidad del Hogar) aka Permanent Council of Women for the Happiness of Children

c. Daughters of Mariana Grajales
(Hijas de Mariana Grajales)
d. Committee in Defense of Children |
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18. CYPRUS

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| a. Pan-Cyprian Organization of Democratic Women
(Pankypria Organosis Demokratikon Yinekon) aka Union of Democratic Women aka Pan-Cyprian Union of Democratic Women aka
Democratic Organization of Cypriot Women
Note: Banned December 1955 | a. Women's Committee for Cyprus

b. Pan-Cypriot Congress of Mothers in Defense of Children |
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19. CZECHOSLOVAKIA

- a. Committee of Czechoslovak Women
(Vybor Ceskoslovenskych Zen)
Chairman: Anezka HODINOVA-SPURNA (1956)
Secretaries: Tana TUMOVA; Milena KRALOVA
Address: Panska 7
Prague II, Czechoslovakia
Publications:
Czechoslovak Woman, an illustrated monthly
Editor-in-Chief: Olga HILLOVA
Printed at Dobrovskeho 27, Prague VII
Vlasta, a magazine for women
Director: Zdenka ZIMOWA
may be identical with
Czech Democratic Women's Union

20. DENMARK

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| a. Danish Democratic Women's Federation
(Danmarks Demokratiske Kuindeforbund, DDK) aka
Democratic League of Danish Women
Claimed strength: Has branches in virtually all the cities of Denmark
President: Ruth HERMANN
Publication: <u>We Women (Vi Krinder)</u> | a. Danish Committee of Communist Women
Note: May no longer exist under this name.

Note: In 1954 many branches of the DDK formed Film Clubs for children, directed by parent-teachers committees. In Copenhagen, one branch claimed 1,500 children as members. (December 1954) |
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21. ECUADOR

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| a. Union of Women of Guayas
(Union de Mujeres de Guayas) | a. Union of Women |
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22. EGYPT

- a. Egyptian Feminist Union
Leader: Ceza NABARAWI (1956)
may be identical with
- b. Federation of Democratic Women of Egypt
Vice President: Ceza NABARAWI

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23. FINLAND

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| <p>a. Finnish Women's Democratic League
(Suomen Naisten Demokraattinen Liitto) aka
Democratic Union of Finnish Women
Claimed strength: Has local branches throughout Finland
Publication: <u>New Women (Uusi Nainen)</u>
President: Anna NEVALAINEN (1955)
Hella MELTI (1956)
Note: Organize free one and two week summer holiday camps for mothers, children and old people from poor families.</p> | <p>a. The Best for Children (Parasta Lapsille)</p> |
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24. FRANCE

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| <p>a. Union of French Women (Union des Femmes Françaises)
President: Eugenie COTTON (1956)
Secretary General: Claudine CHOMAT (1956)
Vice Presidents: Jeanne MAUCHAUSSAT (1955)
Francoise LECLERC (1955)
Executive Committee Members: (October 1955)
Elise FRAYSSE
Marie-Claude VAILLANT-COUTURIER
Lucienne MAZELIN
Marie PERROT
Carmen BOISSOT
Secretary, Peace Committee: Madeleine MORET
Publications:
(1) <u>Shining Hours of French Women</u>, a monthly,
(Heures Claires des</p> | <p>a. French Committee for the Defense of Children aka
may be identical with National Committee in Defense of the Children's Press and Literature
Note: Formed in 1951 (April '52)
b. Association of Families of the Executed (Association des Familles de Fusilles)
c. Union of Catalan Women in France
d. War Widows (Amicale des Veuves de Guerre)
e. Women Friends of Peace (Amies de la Paix)
f. Italian Women (Femmes Italiennes)
g. Unified Socialist Women (Femmes Socialistes Unifiees)</p> |
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24. FRANCE (Continued)

Femmes Francaises)

Editor-in-Chief: Gilberte

DE JOUVENEL

Administratrix: Renee BENEZET i.
(August 1956)

Editorial and Administrative Office

Address: 12 Bis, rue d'Astorg
Paris 8^e, France

Publicity Address:

10 rue de Chateaudun
Paris 9^e, France

Claimed circulation: About 80,000
copies per month (1955)

(2) French Women (Femmes
Francaises), published weekly
Claimed circulation: About
133,000 copies (1955)

(3) Life of the Union of French
Women
(La Vie de l'Union des Femmes
Francaises)

Note: The Union of French Women (UFF)
gives special one and two-week training
courses throughout France: One-week
courses are held for secretaries of local
UFF committees and two-week courses
for active members of county UFF committees
"to raise the level of organization to the polit-
ical requirements" of the UFF. In April 1956
the UFF announced the twelve new UFF committees
had been set up and 257 new members gained in
the Gard Department.

h. Union of Greek Women in
France

i. Union of Polish Women in
France

may be identical with

j. Polish Women
(Femmes Polonaises)

k. Women's Committee Against
the Rebirth of German Mili-
tarism aka
Committee of French Women
Against German Rearmament
aka

Women's Committee Anti-
German Rearmament

b. Union of Spanish Women in France

Note: Has branches in Thiviers and Lourdes

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25. GERMANY (EAST)

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| <p>a. Democratic Union of German Women aka Democratic Women's League of Germany (Demokratischer Frauenbund Deutschlands) aka German Women's Movement
President: Ilse THIELE (1956)
Vice President: Wilhelmine SCHIRMER-PROESCHER
Secretary: Lucie EGGBRECHT (1956)
Publications:
(1) <u>Today's Woman (Die Frau von Heute)</u>,
Editor-in-Chief: Ursula WOHLBERG; Deputy Editor: Gisela GLUCKSMANN; Editor: Mme. VALESKA LIEBCHEN (July 1956)
(2) <u>Learn and Act (Lernen und Handeln)</u>
Editor: Hilda MEULENAERS (1956)</p> | <p>a. Union for Protection of Children</p> |
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- Note: Has branches throughout East Germany

26. GERMANY (WEST)

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| <p>a. Union of Democratic Women in West Germany aka League of Democratic Women of Germany (Demokratischer Frauenbund Deutschlands)
President: Lilli WAECHTER (1956)
Executive Committee Members: (1956) Angela-Antonie GRIESEMANN Friedel LEDWOHN Elli NOWAK-HANEY
Claimed strength: 15,000 (1953). Has branches throughout West Germany
Publication: <u>Today's Woman</u>, a fortnightly (<u>Die Frau von Heute</u>)</p> | <p>a. Association for the Equality of Women (Interessengemeinschaft fuer die Rechte der Frau)
b. West German Women's Peace Movement (Westdeutsche Frauenfriedensbewegung, WFFB)
Secretary: Millie BAUER (1956)
Executive Committee Members: Prof. Dr. Klara-Maria FASSBINDER Elli NOWAK-HANEY Angela-Antonie GRIESEMANN
Note: Has branches throughout West Germany
President: Maria SCHUTTE (1956)
c. Germany Women's Party (Deutsche Frauenpartei)
d. German Society for the Protection of Children (Deutsche Gemeinschaft zum Schutze der Kinder) aka</p> |
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26. GERMANY (WEST) (Continued)

Association for the Protection
of Children aka
Communal Interest Groups for the
Defense of Children
Note: Has branches in various
cities.
Publication: Contributions on
Youth Problems, a paper
President: Dr. Barbara
SCHARMANN (1956)

27. GOLD COAST

- a. Women's Association
Secretary: Miss Christina
WILMOT (1956)

28. GREAT BRITAIN

- a. National Assembly of Women
Chairman: Monica Felton
Honorary Secretary:
Freda GRIMBLE
National Committee Members:
Dora RUSSELL
Beatrice Lily KING
Publication: Women Today,
a monthly
Note: Has branches through-
out Great Britain
Claimed strength: 350 branches
(June 1953)
- a. British Committee in Defense
of Children aka
Mother's Committee
- b. British Peace Committee
- c. Federation of Women for Peace
aka
Women's Peace Federation
- d. Feminine Committee, USSR-
Great Britain
- e. National Association of South
Croydon Women

29. GREECE

- a. Democratic Union of Greek
Women (Probably outlawed)
General Secretary:
Roula KOUKOULOU
- a. Panhellenic Union of Working
Women

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30. GUATEMALA

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| a. Guatemalan and Pan-American
Feminine Alliance
(Alianza Femenina Guatemalteca
y Panamericana) aka
Guatemalan Feminine Alliance
(Alianza Femenina Guatemalteca)
Note: May be operating clandestinely
probably identical with | a. National Council in Défense
of Children |
| b. Federation of American Women,
Bloc No. 2
(Bloque no. 2 de la Federacion de
las Mujeres de las Americas) | |

31. HONG KONG

- a. Hong Kong and Kowloon Women's
Fraternity Association

32. HUNGARY

- a. Democratic Union of Hungarian Women
(Magyar Nok Demokratikus Szovetseg, MNDSz)
Note: According to a Budapest radio broadcast
of May 21, 1956, the Hungarian "women's
movement will in the future work within the
framework of the PPF" since the stage has
been reached where women's problems have
"outgrown the framework" of the MNDSz.
The MNDSz's "fusion with the PPF has become
expedient partly from the point of view of
simplifying guidance and partly from the
point of view of broadening the work of the
common cause."
President, National Council of Hungarian Women
(formerly the National Praesidium, MNDSz):
Mme. Istvan VASS (May 1956)
Chief, International Relations:
Julia PAUNCZ (January 1956)
Chief, Cultural Section:
Mme. Nandor SEBESTYEN (Jan. 1956)

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32. HUNGARY (Continued)

Vice President:

Erzsebet ANDICS (January 1956)

Secretaries: (January 1956)

Mme. Laszlo ERDEI

Mme. Kalman SZABO

Julia TURGONYI

Head of Section for Children's Broadcasting:

Mme. Andras Kisnee Gabriella CHOHANY (1956)

Publications:

(1) Hungarian Women, official organ

Editor-in-Chief: Julia PAUNCZ

(January 1956)

(2) Women's Journal (Nok Lapja), official organ

Editors: (1956)

Katalin OSVAT

Maria ZSIGMONDY

Note: The MNDSz had local branches throughout Hungary.

33. ICELAND

a. Union of Icelandic Women
for Culture and
Peace

(Menningar Og Fridarsamtök
Kuenna)

may be identical with

b. Iceland Women's Committee
for Peace

(Fridarnefnd Kuenna)

Note: If not identical, affiliation cannot be confirmed.

a. Housewives Section of Soviet-
Iceland Cultural Society

b. Women's Section of Icelandic
Communist Party
(Kuenfelag Sameiningarflokka
Althydsosialistaflokksinn)

c. Committee for the Protection
of Children
Address: Reykjavik, Iceland

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34. INDIA

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| <p>a. National Federation of Indian Women
President: Pushpamoyee BOSE (1955)
Vice Presidents: (1956)
Dr. LAXMI
Kulsum SAYANI
Honorary Secretary General:
D. N. BALIYA (1955)
Secretaries: (1956)
Mme. HAJRAJ Begum
Anusuya GYANCHAND
Council Members:
Mme. SAFIA Begum
Mme. K. DHINPA
Claimed strength: 100,000 (1954);
Has branches in various provinces throughout India.</p> <p>b. Women's Self Protection (Defense) Association
(Mahila Atma Raksha Samity, MARS)
Note: has local branches throughout India.</p> | <p>a. Indian Committee in Defense of Children</p> <p>b. Women's Organization of Pondicherry
(Madar Sangam, Pondicherry)
President: Mme. ANGAMMAL
Secretary: Mme. Saravasti SUBBIAH
Claimed strength: "There are 12 committees in the various communes of the former Pondicherry territory."
Note: Madar Sangam is affiliated with the National Federation of Indian Women, a WIDF affiliate.</p> <p>c. Lok Istri Sabha
Note: A women's organization in the Punjab claimed to have 20 "thana" and 200 village committees in 8 districts. (August 1953)</p> |
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35. INDONESIA

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| <p>a. Indonesian Women's Movement (Gerakan Wanita Indonesia - GERWANI)
Claimed strength:
February 1955: 281,000
April 1956: 565,147
President: Mme. Umi SARDJONO (1956)
Vice President: Mme. Suharti SUWARTO</p> <p>b. International Women's Union (or Club)
(Note: This organization was in existence in 1950; current status not known)</p> | <p>a. Foundation for Welfare and Children</p> |
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Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

36. IRAN

- a. Organization of Iranian Women aka Women's Organization of Iran
Publication: Women's World (Jahan-i-Zanan), a weekly

- a. Democratic Organization of Iranian Women aka Union of Democratic Iranian Women

- b. Tudeh Women's Organization
- c. National Children's Committee aka Iranian Association for Protection of Children aka Society for Protection of Children

Claimed strength: "large number of 'Mother's Committees' set up in villages and districts." ('53)

37. IRAQ

- a. Association for the Defence of the Rights of Iraqi Women (Rabitat al-Difa al-Huquq al Marah) aka Iraqi Women's League in Defence of Women's Rights
Director: Fatima AHMED (May 1956)
- b. Organization of Women of Iraq
Note: Probably banned in 1949

38. ISRAEL

- a. Union of Democratic Women in Israel aka Israeli Federation of Democratic Women
Secretary: Emma TALMI (1956)
President: Ethel KLINGFR (1955)
 - b. Organization of Progressive Women (Irgun Hanashim Haprogresiviyoth)
 - c. Histadut Women Workers Organization
Note: In November 1955 the Council expressed a desire to affiliate with the WIDF.
- a. Israel Mother's Committee
 - b. Committee for the Defense of Children in Israel

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Parallel Organizations

39. ITALY

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| a. Union of Italian Women
(Unione Donne Italiane)
President: Maria-Maddalena
ROSSI
Founder and Honorary President:
Rita MONTAGNANA (1955)
Publication: <u>We Women</u>
(<u>Noi Donne</u>), a weekly
Editor-in-Chief: Antonietta MACCIOCCHI
Editor: Grazia CESARINI (March 1956)
Claimed strength:
1953: 1,000,000
1955: 2,300,000; 80,000 members
claimed in Reggio Emilio alone | a. National Committee in Defense
of Children
Note: This might be a subsidiary
of the Union of Italian
Women |
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40. IVORY COAST

- a. Ivory Coast Women's Committee
President: Ma BAMBA (1956)
Note: This Committee is attempting to set up different organizations or women's movements in the Ivory Coast.

41. JAPAN

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| a. Federation of Japanese
Women's Organization
(Fujin Dantain Rengo,
FUDANREN)
President:
Raicho HIRATSUKA (1956)
Note: This Federation was established in April 1953 and claims to represent women from different social backgrounds (i.e. "women workers, office girls, mothers, wives of workers, and farmers" and women intellectuals) in "over thirty affiliated organizations" | a. All-Japan Youth and Women's
Council
(Zen Nippon Seinen Fujin
Kaigi)
b. Housewives League
(Shufu Rengokai)
c. Association of Japanese
Women for Peace
d. National Committee for the
Defense of Children
Secretary: Raicho
HIRATSUKA |
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Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

41. JAPAN (Continued)

This Federation was organized "at the initiative of women's organizations represented" on the Council of Women's Organizations who "were eager to unite the women's peace front" after the split of the Council of Women's Organizations.

- e. Korean Democratic Women's League in Japan
(Zainichi Chosen Minshu Josei Domei)
- f. National Mothers' Liaison Society
- g. Society for Protection of Japanese Children
(Nippon Kodomo Wo Mamoru Kai) aka
Japanese Association for the Protection of Children
Secretary:
Mme. Natsu KAWASAKI (1955)
- h. Women's Democratic Club
(or Association)
(Fuji Minshu Kurabu)
(Affiliated with FUDANREN)
Publication: Women's Democratic Newspaper
(Fujin Minshu Shimbun) a weekly
- i. Committee of Japanese Women for Opposition to Rearmament
- j. Japan Women's Democratic Council
(Nippon Minshu Fujin Kyogikai)
Publication: Women's Manifesto (Fujin Sengen), published every 10 days (1953)
Note: May be identical with or part of FUDANREN

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Parallel Organizations

42. JORDAN

- a. Federation of Women of Jordan
- b. Democratic Association of the Women of Jordan

43. KOREA (NORTH)

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Korean Democratic Women's League
(Choson Minju Yosong Ch'ong Tongmaeng)
Chairman: Pak Chong-ae
(aka Pak Den Ai) (1956)
Vice-Chairman: Kim En Su (1956)
Claimed strength: 2,000,000 (1953) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Korean Women's Democratic Youth League
Vice Chairman: Lee Kyong Huib. Korean National Committee for the Protection of Children |
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44. KOREA (SOUTH)

- a. South Korean Democratic Women's League
Note: Believed to have merged with the North Korean Democratic Women's League. Probably exists in name only.

45. LEBANON

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Lebanese League of Democratic Women
(Jamiyat an-Nisa ad-Dimu-gratiyah al-Libnaniyah)
may be identical withb. League of Lebanese Women
Secretary: Marie TABET
Note: Has branches in various districts of Lebanon | <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. League of Women's Organizations in Lebanon
(Jamiyat al-Havat an-Nisa'iyyah fi an-Nadwah al Lubnan-iyyah)
President: Laure TABIT (1956)
Vice President: Alan RIHAN
Secretary: Fatimah DA'UG |
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Parallel Organizations

45. LEBANON (Continued)

c. League of Women's Rights
aka
League for the Rights of
Lebanese Women
Honorary President:
Mme. Souraya ADRA (1956)
Secretary: Marie TABET(1955)
Executive Committee:
Linda MATTAR (1956)

b. Association for the Defense
of Children aka
National Committee of
Children

46. LUXEMBOURG

a. Union of Luxembourg
Women
(L'Union des Femmes Luxem-
bourgeoises)
President, Kayl District:
Marie THOMMES (1956)

a. Women's Peace Movement

47. MADAGASCAR

a. Solidarity Committee of
Madagascar

48. MARTINIQUE

a. Union of Martinique Women
(Union des Femmes Martiniquaise)

49. MEXICO

a. Democratic Union of
Mexican Women
(Union Democratica de Mujeres
Mexicanas)
General Secretary:
Paula MEDRANO
Note: Has branches throughout
Mexico.

a. Union of Anti-Fascist Spanish
Women in Mexico

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Parallel Organizations

50. MIDDLE CONGO

- a. Confederated Unions of the
Middle Congo

51. MONGOLIA (OUTER)

- a. Women's Council of Mongolia
aka
Council of Mongolian Working Women
aka
Union of Mongolian Women
aka
Hural of Mongolian Women

52. MOROCCO

- a. Union of Moroccan Women
(Union des Femmes du Maroc)

53. NETHERLANDS

- a. Netherlands Women's Movement
ment
(Nederlandse Vrouwen Beweging,
NVB)
General Secretary:
Annie AVERINK(June 1956)
Chairman:
Maria Elisabeth LIPS-ODINOT
Secretary:
Johanna Molin GERRITZE
Publication: Women for Peace and Reconstruction
(Vrouwen Voor Vrede en Opbouw)
Claimed circulation: over 15,000 (1953)
Claimed strength: Has branches throughout
Holland.
- a. Women's Peace Movement

54. NEW ZEALAND

- a. Women's Union of New Zealand aka
New Zealand Women's League
Publication: Women for Peace,
a magazine (June 1953)

Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

55. NIGERIA

- a. Union of Nigerian Women
President:
Mme. Ransome KUTI (1956)
may be identical with
- b. Federation of Nigerian Women's
Organizations
Claimed strength 100,000 (1956)

56. NORWAY

- a. Union of Norwegian Women
(Norsk Kvinneforbund) aka
Norwegian Women's Federation
President:
Birgit SCHIOTZ (June 1956)
Note: In May 1954 the Norwegian
Democratic Women's Union merged
with the Union of Norwegian
Housewives' Societies to form
the Union of Norwegian Women
Publication:
Women at Home and Abroad (1955)

57. PAKISTAN

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Purba Pakistan Mahila
Samiti
(Sought affiliation in 1948) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Association of West Pakistan
Women
Secretary of Propaganda:
Miriam SHAH (July 1956)b. Organization of Women for
Peace |
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58. PARAGUAY

- a. League for the Rights of Women
(Liga pro Derechos de la Mujer)

59. PHILIPPINES, THE

- a. National Women's League
Note: Was operating clandestinely
in 1953.

Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

60. POLAND

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| a. Polish Women's League
(Liga Kobiet) aka
League of Polish Women
Chairman:
Alicia MOUSIALOVA (1956)
Head, Foreign Department of Central Board:
F. STODOLSKA (May 1956)
Secretaries, Central Board: (May 1956)
H. DWORAKOWSKA
I. ASZKENAZY
J. JUZONCOWA
Zofia MATEJCZYK
Deputy Chairman:
Marta SIJALKOWSKA (October 1955) | a. PAX (a Catholic organization)
Member, Executive Committee:
Mme. Stefania
SKWARCZYNSKA |
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61. REUNION ISLAND

- a. Union of Women of Reunion

62. RUMANIA

- a. Democratic Women's Committee of the RPR
(Comitetul Femeilor Democrate) aka
Rumanian Women's Committee
President: Stela ENESCU (June 1956)
Leader, International Section:
Constantza STAN (June 1956)
Publications:
(1) Women in the Rumanian People's
Republic, illustrated monthly published
in English.
(2) Information Bulletin
(3) Working Woman (Dolgozo No), Cluj review
(4) Peasant Woman
Editor-in-Chief: Maria CIOCAN (1953)
Claimed strength: 1,500,000 (1948)

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Parallel Organizations

63. SENEGAL

- a. Senegal Women's League aka
Union of Senegalese Women
(Union des Femmes du Senegal)
Secretary: Mme. Bineta DIOP (June 1956)

64. SPAIN

- a. Union of Spanish Women
(A clandestine group)
- b. See FRANCE

65. SWEDEN

- a. Union of Swedish Women
(Svenska Kvinnors Vansterforbund, SKV)
Secretary: Valborg SVENSSON (1956)
Publication: We, The Women
(Vi KVINNOR), a monthly
Note: Has branches throughout Sweden.
Two Stockholm affiliates are "The
Four Leaf Clover" group and the
"Dove of Peace" group.
probably identical with
- a. National Committee for
the Defense of Children
Claimed strength: Has
committees "all over the
country" (June 1953)
- b. Swedish Women's Leftist Federation
(Svenska Kvinnors Vansterforbund)

66. SWITZERLAND

- a. The Federation of Swiss
Women for Peace and Pro-
gress
(Federation des femmes
suisses pour la Paix et le
Progres)
President:
Nelly BETTEX (1956)
Secretary:
Charlotte MURET (1956)
Publication:
Feminine Horizons
(Horizons Feminins)
Editor: Antoinette STAUFFER (1955)
Note: "Founded in September 1952 under
the auspices and with the support of the WIDF."
Claimed strength: Active in various Swiss
cities (June 1953)
- a. Popular Feminine Movement
of Geneva
(Frauenskommission - Mouve-
ment Populaire Feminin)
- b. "8th of March" Movement of
the Canton of Vaud
- c. Women's Association for Social
Progress in Zurich
President:
Lotte Humbelin (1956)

Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

67. SYRIA

- a. League of Syrian Women
(Jamiyat an-Nisa as-Suriyah)
probably identical with
- b. Union of Syrian Women
President:
Mme. Adela BAIHAM
(August 1956)

- a. Syrian Women's League for
the Protection of Mothers and
Children aka
Syrian Women's League for
the Defense of Children and
Mothers aka
League of Syrian Women for
the Protection of Motherhood
and Childhood
- b. Syrian Children's Committee
- c. League of Syrian Nationalist
Women for the Defense of
Peace
- d. Child Protection Society aka
Child Welfare Society
- e. League of Democratic Women
Note: Headquartered in Damas-
cus and attempting to organize
female students.

68. TIBET

- a. Lhasa Patriotic Women's
Association

69. TRINIDAD

- a. Women's Auxiliary to the Oil
Workers Union
General Secretary:
Pearl BRANCHE (February
1956)
Note: Established in March 1952
Claimed strength 1,435 (June
1953)

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Parallel Organizations

70. TUNISIA

- a. Union of Tunisian Women
(Union des Femmes de
Tunisie)
Secretary: Ben MILAD
(June 1956)

- a. National Committee in Defense
of Children

71. UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA

- a. Women's League, African
National Congress
President: Lilian NGOYI (September
1956)

72. URUGUAY

- a. Union of Uruguayan Women
(Union Feminina del Uruguay)
aka
Women's Union of Uruguay
Secretary:

- a. Union of Anti-Fascist Spanish
Women
(Union de Mujeres Anti-
fascistas Espanoles)

Mme. Celia MIERES (1953)

- b. Union of Spanish Women in
Uruguay
(Union de Mujeres Espanolas
en el Uruguay)

possibly identical with

- b. National Feminine Union aka
Feminine Union of Uruguay
Secretary
Mme. Celia Mieres (1953)

- c. National Coordinating Commit-
tee for Combating of Harmful
Children's Literature

73. USSR

- a. Soviet Women's Committee
(Formerly known as the Anti-Fascist
Committee of Soviet Women)
(Antifashistski komitet sovetskikh
zhenshchin)
President: Nina POPOVA (1956)
General Secretary:
Lidia PETROVA (1956)
Vice President:
Nadezhda PARFENOVA (1956)

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73. USSR (Continued)

Publication: (May 1956)
Soviet Woman (Sovetskaya Zhenshchina),
published monthly in English, French,
Chinese, German, Japanese, Korean,
Spanish and Russian
Address, Editorial Offices:
Kusnetski most 22
Moscow, USSR
Editor-in-Chief: M. OVSIANNIKOVA (1956)
Spanish Editor: E. VOLF (1956)
English Editor: M. V. DOBROSELSKAYA
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N. A. MURAVIEVA (aka N. A. MURAVYOVA)
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I. M. TOIDZE
Illustrated Section: I. DOLGOPOLOV
Technical Editor: N. PETROVA

74. VENEZUELA

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| a. National Women's Union of
Venezuela
(Union Nacional de Mujeres de
Venezuela) | a. National Children's Committee
(Comite Nacional del Nino) |
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75. VIETNAM (NORTH)

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| a. Vietnam Women's Union
(Hoi Lien-hiep Phu-nu Viet-nam)
Vice President: Bui Thi Cam
(October 1956)
Central Committee Members:
Nguyen Khoa Dieu Hong
Nguyen Thi Thap
Claimed strength: 3,000,000 (1956) | a. Committee for the Defence of
Mothers and Children of
Nam-bo

b. Association of Soldiers'
Mothers of Vietnam
Note: Organized throughout
Vietnam (June 1953) |
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Affiliates

Parallel Organizations

76. YUGOSLAVIA

[Note: The WIDF Council expelled its Yugoslav affiliate -- the Organization of Yugoslav Women -- in November 1949, in line with the CPSU policy after the Tito-Cominform rift. Now, again conforming to the current CPSU-Yugoslav CP rapprochement, the WIDF Council, at its meeting in Peking in April 1956 "... at the request of several of its members," examined its previous decision and "... recognized that this decision was unjust." It "unanimously decided to revoke it." As of August 1956, the Organization of Yugoslav Women had not accepted the WIDF invitation to reaffiliate.]

77. UNDESIGNATED AFFILIATIONS

The WIDF Council, elected by the World Congress of Women in June 1953, included reserved "slots" for undesignated members from Peru, Thailand and Trieste and designated the following members from Portugal: Maria SILVESTRE, Julia COSTA, Ester DURSO and Helena SA. It is, therefore, assumed that the WIDF has an unidentified affiliate and/or parallel organization in each of these countries.

78. ADDENDUM

Since the preparation of the above listing, the following "parallel" organizations have also been identified.

BRITISH GUIANA

a. Women's Progressive Organization
(Note: Formed in 1953)

b. Peace Committee of British Guiana

FRENCH GUINEA

a. Committee of Young African Girls in Paris

HONDURAS

a. Women's Section, Democratic Revolutionary Party of Honduras

Parallel Organizations

JAMAICA

- a. People's Educational Organization, Youth Movement

LAOS

- a. Women's Organization
Claimed strength: Branches in all localities where a "Front" organization existed. (June 1953)
- b. Associations of Mothers of Fighters (or Soldiers)
Claimed strength: Associations throughout the country (June 1953).
- c. Young Girls' Leagues
Note: Organized in villages (June 1953)

MALAYA

- a. Association of Malayan Women

PORTUGAL

- a. National Council of Portuguese Women
(Banned in 1947)
- b. Portuguese Women's Association for Peace
(Banned in 1952)

SUDAN

- a. Sudanese Women's Association aka
Union of Sudanese Women
Claimed strength: 400 (1955)

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H. Members of the WIDF Control Commission and Council:

WIDF Control Commission *
(June 1953 -)

Members: Irma SCHWAGER (Austria)
Jeanne MULLIER (Belgium)
Antonia TUMOVA (Czechoslovakia)
Ann JOHN (The Netherlands)

Treasurer:
Dida MIHALCEA (Rumania)

WIDF Council *
(June 1953 -)

* According to the provisions of the WIDF Constitution, each national affiliate of the WIDF designates its candidates for Council Membership or Deputy Membership on the basis of the total national population figures: one member and one deputy per affiliate from each country whose population does not exceed 5 million; two members and two deputies per affiliate from each country whose population does not exceed 30 million; three members and three deputies per affiliate from each country whose population does not exceed 75 million; four members and four deputies per affiliate from each country whose population does not exceed 140 million; and five members and three deputies per affiliate from each country whose population exceeds 140 million.

The Council is elected by the WIDF Congress from a slate of candidates submitted by each national affiliate.

The Control Commission members are named by the Congress from the Council members who are not members of the Executive Committee.

The above-listed officers of the Control Commission and Council will continue to serve in their designated capacities until the next WIDF Congress meets and reelects new members. The last WIDF Congress was held in Copenhagen, June 1953.

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WIDF Council (Continued)

<u>Country</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Deputy Members</u>
Albania	Nexmije HOXHA	Vita KAPO
Algeria	Abassia FODIL	Baya ALLOUCHICHE
Argentina	Fanny EDELMAN Margarita DE PONCE	Irma OTHAR Zulma NUNEZ
Australia	Betty REILLY	(reserved)
Austria	Irma SCHWAGER Dr. Maria SUBIK	Ida FLOCKINGER Grete SCHÜTTE - LIHOTZKY
Belgium	Jeanne MULLIER (reserved)	Mariette VAN BALLAERT Marie GUISSÉ
Bolivia	(reserved)	(reserved)
Brazil	Branca FIALHO Arcelina Mochel GOTO Edy Duarte PEREIRA	Elisa BRANCO BATISTA Paulina d'AMBROSIA Nuta Bartlett JAMES
Bulgaria	Tzola DRAGOITCHEVA Vera NATCHEVA	Rada TODOROVA Anastasia VYLKOVA
Burma	Day Khin CHIT	Day Khin HLA
Canada	Rae LUCKOCK Nora RODD	Blanche GELINAS Agnes JACKSON
Chile	Mercedes FUENTEALBA	(reserved)
Communist China	TS'AI Ch'ang TENG Ying-ch'ao LI Te-eh'uan HSÜ Kuang-p'ing SHIH Liang	LU Ts'ui TS'AO Meng'ch'uan YANG Yun-yu

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WIDE Council (Continued)

<u>Country</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Deputy Members</u>
Colombia	Ismenia de MUJICA	(reserved)
Costa Rica	Maria de MATA	Luisa GONZALEZ
Cuba	Edith GARCIA Buchaca Candelaria RODRIGUEZ	Celia MACHADO Nila ORTEGA
Cyprus	Mrs. Andoulla G. CHRISTOFOROU	Mrs. Kioula ZIARTIDOU
Czechoslovakia	Aneska HODINOVA- SPURNA Irena DURISOVA	Ana SLECKTOVA Ruzena ZAHRADKOVA
Denmark	Ruth HERMANN	Alvilda LARSEN
Ecuador	Alba Calderon de GIL	(reserved)
Egypt	Ceza NABARAQUT	(reserved)
Finland	Silvi Killikki KILPI	Irma TORVI
France	Eugenie COTTON Marie-Claude Vaillant COUTURIER Juliette DUBOIS	Francoise LECLERC Gisele JOANNES Andree MARTY- CAPGRAS
Germany	Ilse THIELE Lilly WÄCHTER Edith BAUMAN	Marie TAUBERT Helga DICKEL (reserved)
Great Britain	Monica FELTON Molly MANDELL	(reserved)
Greece	Roula KOUKOULOU Rosa IMVRIOTI	Avra VLASSI Vaya VOURNA
Guatemala	(reserved)	

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WIDF Council (Continued)

<u>Country</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Deputy Members</u>
Holland	Gre BLOKKER Rie LIPS	R. KOGENHOP A. JOHN
Hungary	Erzsebeth ANDICS Elizabeth VASS Edith ERDEI	Irene MANUSHNIC Marget VOIDAN
Iceland	Sigribur Eiriksdottir VALDEMARSSON	Dora Vigfusdottir ANDRESSON
India	Renu CHAKRAVARTY Bibi SAKUNTALA (3 reserved)	Provabati Debi SARASWATI Bibi Sant KAUR (1 reserved)
Indonesia	SUWARTI ASIJAH (2 reserved)	SUHARTI (2 reserved)
Iran	Mariam FIROUZ Djamile SADIGHI	Akhtar KIANOURI CHARMINI
Iraq	Fatima AHMED	(reserved)
Israel	Ruth LUBITCH	(reserved)
Italy	Rita MONTAGNANA Maria Maddalena ROSSI Rosetta LONGO Angiola MINELLA	Teresa NOCE Elena CAPORASO Ada ALESSANDRINI
Japan	(reserved)	
Korea	(reserved)	
Lebanon	Layla KHALIL	Marie TABET
Luxemburg	Rosa WEISS	Marie DOUVEN

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<u>Country</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Deputy Members</u>
Madagascar	(reserved)	
Malaya	Che SAMSIAM	HSIEH Jen-shen
Mexico	Mireya B. de HUERTA Paula MEDRANO	Paula Gomez ALONSO Sorocco BURCIAGA
Mongolia	Udval SONOMEN	Lemach NORCINE
Morocco	(reserved)	
New Zealand	Alice HARRIS	(reserved)
Nigeria	Ransome KUTI	(reserved)
Norway	Sigrid Narup GUNDERUD	Gudrun EIVINDSON
Pakistan	(reserved)	
Peru	(reserved)	
Poland	Fugenie FRAGUIFROVA Alicia MUSIALOVA	Jatazkuvna MEHALINA Vanda K. JAKUBOVSKA
Portugal	Maria SILVESTRE Julia COSTA	Ester DURSO Helena SA
Rumania	Stella ENESCU Dida MIHAI-CEA	Iliana RECHANU Maria MORANU
Spain	Dolores IBARRURI	Elisa URIZ
Sweden	Andrea ANDREEN Valborg SVENSON	Elizabeth TAMM Margit LINDSTRÖM
Switzerland	Charlotte MURET	Lotte HUMBELIN
Syria	Mouna FOUAD	(reserved)

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<u>Country</u>	<u>Members</u>	<u>Deputy Members</u>
Thailand	(reserved)	(reserved)
Transjordan	Samira HAYDER	Lameese AYYOUB
Trieste	(reserved)	
Trinidad	(reserved)	
Tunisia	(reserved)	
Uruguay	Celia MIERES	(reserved)
U.S.A.	(reserved)	
U.S.S.R.	Nina POPOVA Zinaida GAGARINA Nadejda PARFIENOVA Lidia PETROVA Galina GOROCHKOVA	Zoia TUMANOVA Lidia KUKARENKO Kulipa KONDUCHALOVA
Venezuela	Argelia Laya de MARTINEZ	(reserved)
Viet Nam	HOANG Thaf LE Minh-hien	LE Thanh-ha
Yugoslavia	Vera LUITCH Bosilka MARIANOVICH	(reserved)

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